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FOR: FILAMENTOUS FUNGAL MUTANTS WITH IMPROVED HOMOLOGOUS  
RECOMBINATION EFFICIENCY

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**RESPONSE UNDER 37 CFR § 1.111**

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**Mail Stop Amendment**

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Sir:

In response to the Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment mailed August 21, 2009, consideration of the following amendments and remarks is respectfully requested. No fee is required for an extension of time because this correction is being filed within one month of the Notice. Cancellation of claim 11 is corrected. Claim 16 is further amended and new claim 36 is added to recite a deleted limitation of the independent claim.

The **claims** are presented on pages 2-5.

Claims 10 and 15-23 are amended.

Claims 1-9, 11 and 24-25 are canceled without prejudice or disclaimer.

Claims 26-38 are added.

**Remarks** begin on page 6.